THE HON'BLE SRI JUSTICE V.ESWARAIAH

W.P.No.9104 of 2007

Between:

Gayam Kalpana. … Petitioner

and

The Superintendent of Police,
Nellore and four others … Respondents

ORDER:

It is the case of the petitioner that she is the native of Peduru village, Thotapalli Gudur Mandal, Nellore District, and she fell in love with one I.Venkateswarlu, resident of Iskapalem village, Thotapalli Gudur Mandal, Nellore District. Accordingly, they married on 21-04-2007 at Arya Samaj, Aryanagar, North Lalaguda, Marredpally Mandal, Secunderabad, as per Hindu rites and customs, without consent of the parents of the petitioner. Subsequently, they got registered their marriage on 24-04-2007 in the office of Registrar of Marriages, Marredpally, Secunderabad.

While so, it is stated that at the instance of the 5th respondent, who is no other than the father of the petitioner, the 3rd respondent taken the in-laws of the petitioner to the police station and detained them illegally. It is further stated that the 5th respondent also filed a false case of kidnapping against I.Venkateswarlu before the 3rd respondent.

The learned Government Pleader for the 3rd respondent submits that the 3rd respondent never harassed the in-laws of the petitioner and no crime is pending in the 3rd respondent police station.

If any case is pending either before the 4th respondent or any other police station with regard to kidnapping of the petitioner by I.Venkateswarlu, who got married the petitioner, it is open for the petitioner and the said I.Venkateswarlu to surrender before the concerned Station House Officer, in which case, the concerned Station House Officer shall record their statements and also get their statements recorded by the

concerned Magistrate and take appropriate action in accordance with law. But, however, without there being any complaint against I.Venkateswarlu stating that he committed cognizable offence, he and his parents shall not be harassed.

Accordingly, the writ petition is disposed of. There shall be no order as to costs.

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30-04-2007

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